

### **BIO FOR NATHAN MICK**

Nathan Mick currently serves as the Economic Development Director for Garrard County, Kentucky.

Prior to becoming the Garrard County Economic Development Director, Mick served as a political advisor working at the state and national level. From 2000 to 2005, he worked for United States Senator Chuck Hagel (R-NE) in Washington, DC, including serving as Deputy Chief of Staff. He served as Deputy Campaign Manager and Political Director for the Pete Ricketts for U.S. Senate campaign in Nebraska, and as Campaign Manager for State Representative Lonnie Napier in Kentucky. In 2004 and 2008, he worked with the Republican National Committee 72 Hour Task Force.

Mick has traveled extensively, for personal and professional purposes, throughout Europe, Asia and the United States. Mick is scheduled to travel to Warsaw, Poland in October 2008 with the U.S. State Department as a member of the official U.S. delegation to the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe annual Human Dimension Implementation Meeting (OSCE HDIM). Mick gave two speeches at the HDIM on behalf of the United States in 2007. Mick is honored to represent the United States in Warsaw again in 2008.

Mr. Mick is a graduate of Centre College, in Danville, Kentucky, and has studied at Regents College in London, England. He received his Master of Arts in National Security and Strategic Studies from the United States Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island. While living in Washington, he was a member of the National Cathedral Choral Society. Nathan lives in Lancaster, KY and is engaged to Maggie Morris.